



# CITY OF COSTA MESA

P.O. BOX 1200, COSTA MESA, CALIFORNIA 92628-1200

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF COMMUNICATIONS

## PRESS RELEASE

**June 14, 2012**

### **CONTACT**

Bill Lobdell, (949) 887-2541

[wlobdell@ci.costa-mesa.ca.us](mailto:wlobdell@ci.costa-mesa.ca.us)

[www.costamesaca.gov](http://www.costamesaca.gov)

[www.facebook.com/CostaMesaCityHall](https://www.facebook.com/CostaMesaCityHall)

Twitter @CityofCostaMesa

### **City Council to consider resolution for proposed 405 Freeway expansion**

COSTA MESA, CALIF.—The Costa Mesa City Council will meet on Tuesday, June 19 to consider a resolution to oppose an Orange County Transportation Agency (OCTA) proposal that would add two lanes of traffic on the 405 Freeway through the city and require the demolition and rebuilding of the Fairview Road bridge and the southbound Harbor Boulevard onramp.

The council could support two other alternatives that would not require the demolition of the bridge and onramp.

San Diego Freeway (I-405) Improvement Project—estimated to cost between \$1.1 and \$1.85 billion—is a collaborative effort between the OCTA, Caltrans, and cities adjacent to the interstate between the 73 and 605 freeways.

For more information about the project and alternatives, and to read the proposed resolution and draft environmental reports, please visit the city's website ([www.costamesaca.gov](http://www.costamesaca.gov)) and click on the "405 Expansion" button.

Residents are encouraged to provide input at Tuesday's City Council meeting, which will take place at City Hall, Council Chambers, 77 Fair Drive, and begin at 6 p.m. The staff report will be available on the city's website 72 hours prior to the meeting.